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Total Claims = 20* = X =
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1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
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System**

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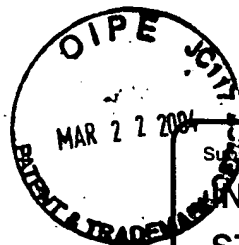
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